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Honorable John R. Tunheim Chief United States District Judge Suite 15E, U.S. Courthouse 300 South Fourth Street Minneapolis, MN 55415

Re: United States v. Andrew Nathaniel David Piontek

Crim. No. 19-93 (JRT/TNL)

## Dear Chief Judge Tunheim:

I am writing to update the Court as to the restitution matter in the above-captioned case. I have been in contact with the civil attorneys representing victims in the Jenny, Sweet Sugar and Lighthouse series. Within the last two weeks, all the attorneys have responded to my emails and we are in the process of negotiating a restitution agreement such that a restitution hearing will not be necessary. Once an amount has been agreed upon, Mr. Piontek will sign the restitution stipulation. Mail delivery has been slow within the BOP since COVID-19, but I am hopeful something can be filed with the Court by April 30, 2021.

Sincerely,

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